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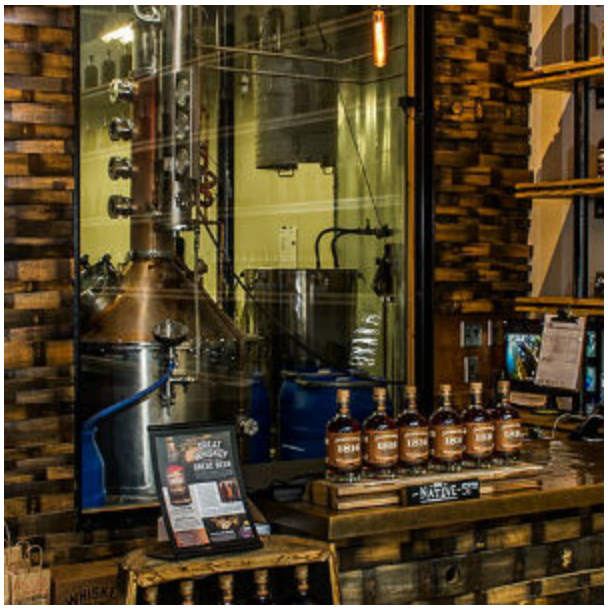
Newsletter

Annual Gathering

Make plans now to join the annual Southern Gold Society gathering during the Georgia Numismatic Association Coin Show. The coin show will be held at the Dalton Convention Center. The gathering will be on Friday, April 17, 2020.

In keeping with the Society's mission statement, the gathering is not a regimented program, but more like a social event in a relaxed setting where gentlemanly discourse about Southern gold coins is the order of the day.



The gathering begins at 7:00 p.m. at the Chattanooga Whiskey Experimental Distillery, 1439 Market Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee, with a guided tour of the distillery followed by a whiskey tasting. Chattanooga is very strict on IDing every person consuming alcohol, regardless if they clearly appear over 21 years old, so please make sure if you want a tasting flight at the end of the tour to have a valid unexpired government issued photo ID present. The tour and tasting are $13.11 per person including tax and is limited to the first 20 participants who buy their tickets, so first come first served. **Twelve tickets remain.** To guarantee our spots, tickets must be bought before

Friday, April 3, 2020. To buy your tickets with your credit card, call (423) 760-4333 and select option 4. Tell the person you're with the April 17 SGS group tour and tasting.

Afterwards, there will be a Dutch-treat dinner at Feed Table and Tavern, State of Confusion, or Terminal BrewHouse; all a short walk from Chattanooga Whiskey. One of these restaurants will be selected for our dinner and announced via email the week of March 30. Email contactus@southerngoldsociety.org no later than March 27 to let us know which one is your favorite choice.

An SGS-provided van or bus would be provided for transportation, if enough people wanted to ride. Email contactus@southerngoldsociety.org to let us know if you want to share a ride. Otherwise, everyone will be responsible for their own transportation.

Mission Statement

The Southern Gold Society was formed to increase the enjoyment and study of Southern gold coins and related history, through an informal, relaxed mix of education and fellowship. The society is reminiscent of those of a bygone era, in which connoisseurship and a gentlemanly appreciation of Southern gold coins is the order of the day.

Purpose

- To facilitate the enjoyment and study of the gold coins and related history of the Southern branch mints (Dahlonega, Charlotte, and New Orleans) and private Southern minters (Templeton Reid and the Bechtlers).
- To enjoy each member's knowledge and friendship in an informal manner.
- To provide a relaxed, pleasant environment in which to meet during selected coin shows and other convenient events.
- To encourage the appreciation and preservation of a Southern gold coin's original surfaces.
- To consolidate the information, resources, and talent available to enthusiasts of these historic Southern gold coins.

Annual Membership Fees

Regular $25 (January-December).

Membership for new members joining in October, November, or December extends through the next year. Checks for membership fees should be made payable to the Southern Gold Society and mailed to David Crenshaw, P.O. Box 237, Dacula, GA 30019-0004.

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